

**U.S. District Court  
Southern District of New York (Foley Square)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-08905-JGK**

International Refugee Assistance Project v. United States  
Citizenship and Immigration Services et al.  
Assigned to: Judge John G. Koeltl  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 09/25/2019  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of  
Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

**Plaintiff**

**International Refugee Assistance  
Project**

represented by **Justin Cox**  
International Refugee Assistance Project  
PO BOX 170208  
Atlanta, GA 30317  
516-701-4233  
Fax: 212-533-4598  
Email: [jcox@refugeerights.org](mailto:jcox@refugeerights.org)  
**ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED**

**Kathryn Claire Meyer**  
International Refugee Assistance Project  
One Battery Park Plaza  
Ste 4th Floor  
New York, NY 10004  
516-838-1975  
Email: [kmeyer@refugeerights.org](mailto:kmeyer@refugeerights.org)  
**ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED**

V.

**Defendant**

**United States Citizenship and  
Immigration Services**

**Defendant**

**United States Department of State**

Date Filed	#	Docket Text
09/25/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against United States Citizenship and Immigration Services, United States Department of State. (Filing Fee \$ 400.00, Receipt Number ANYSDC-17661556) Document filed by International Refugee Assistance Project. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Exhibit Exhibit B, # <u>3</u> Exhibit Exhibit C, # <u>4</u> Exhibit Exhibit D)(Meyer, Kathryn) (Entered: 09/25/2019)
09/25/2019	<u>2</u>	<b>FILING ERROR – DEFICIENT PLEADING – PDF ERROR</b> – CIVIL COVER SHEET filed. (Meyer, Kathryn) Modified on 9/26/2019 (pc). (Entered: 09/25/2019)
09/25/2019	<u>3</u>	RULE 7.1 CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT. No Corporate Parent. Document filed by International Refugee Assistance Project.(Meyer, Kathryn) (Entered: 09/25/2019)
09/25/2019	<u>4</u>	<b>FILING ERROR – DEFICIENT PLEADING – SUMMONS REQUEST PDF ERROR</b> – REQUEST FOR ISSUANCE OF SUMMONS as to UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES; UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE, re: <u>1</u> Complaint,. Document filed by International Refugee Assistance Project. (Meyer, Kathryn) Modified on 9/26/2019 (pc). (Entered: 09/25/2019)

09/26/2019		<b>***NOTICE TO ATTORNEY REGARDING PARTY MODIFICATION. Notice to attorney Kathryn Claire Meyer. The party information for the following party/parties has been modified: United States Citizenship and Immigration Services, United States Department of State, International Refugee Assistance Project. The information for the party/parties has been modified for the following reason/reasons: party role was entered incorrectly;. (pc) (Entered: 09/26/2019)</b>
09/26/2019		<b>***NOTICE TO ATTORNEY REGARDING DEFICIENT CIVIL COVER SHEET. Notice to attorney Kathryn Claire Meyer to RE-FILE Document No. <u>2</u> Civil Cover Sheet. The filing is deficient for the following reason(s): Do not fill out the citizenship of principal parties if US Defendant Basis of Jurisdiction is selected. (pc) (Entered: 09/26/2019)</b>
09/26/2019		<b>***NOTICE TO ATTORNEY REGARDING CIVIL. CASE OPENING STATISTICAL ERROR CORRECTION: Notice to attorney Kathryn Claire Meyer. The following case opening statistical information was erroneously selected/entered: Fee Status code due (due);. The following correction(s) have been made to your case entry: the Fee Status code has been modified to pd (paid);. (pc) (Entered: 09/26/2019)</b>
09/26/2019		<b>***NOTICE TO ATTORNEY REGARDING DEFICIENT REQUEST FOR ISSUANCE OF SUMMONS. Notice to Attorney Kathryn Claire Meyer to RE-FILE Document No. <u>4</u> Request for Issuance of Summons. The filing is deficient for the following reason(s): Only parties listed on the complaint caption title can be issued a summons;. Re-file the document using the event type Request for Issuance of Summons found under the event list Service of Process – select the correct filer/filers – and attach the correct summons form PDF. (pc) (Entered: 09/26/2019)</b>
09/26/2019		CASE OPENING INITIAL ASSIGNMENT NOTICE: The above-entitled action is assigned to Judge John G. Koeltl. Please download and review the Individual Practices of the assigned District Judge, located at <a href="http://nysd.uscourts.gov/judges/District">http://nysd.uscourts.gov/judges/District</a> . Attorneys are responsible for providing courtesy copies to judges where their Individual Practices require such. Please download and review the ECF Rules and Instructions, located at <a href="http://nysd.uscourts.gov/ecf_filing.php">http://nysd.uscourts.gov/ecf_filing.php</a> . (pc) (Entered: 09/26/2019)
09/26/2019		Magistrate Judge Stewart D. Aaron is so designated. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. Section 636(c) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 73(b)(1) parties are notified that they may consent to proceed before a United States Magistrate Judge. Parties who wish to consent may access the necessary form at the following link: <a href="http://nysd.uscourts.gov/forms.php">http://nysd.uscourts.gov/forms.php</a> . (pc) (Entered: 09/26/2019)
09/26/2019		Case Designated ECF. (pc) (Entered: 09/26/2019)
09/26/2019	<u>5</u>	CIVIL COVER SHEET filed. (Meyer, Kathryn) (Entered: 09/26/2019)
09/26/2019	<u>6</u>	REQUEST FOR ISSUANCE OF SUMMONS as to UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES; UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE, re: <u>1</u> Complaint,. Document filed by International Refugee Assistance Project. (Meyer, Kathryn) (Entered: 09/26/2019)
09/27/2019	<u>7</u>	ELECTRONIC SUMMONS ISSUED as to United States Citizenship and Immigration Services, United States Department of State. (dnh) (Entered: 09/27/2019)
09/30/2019		Minute Entry for proceedings held before Judge John G. Koeltl: Initial Conference set for 11/19/2019 at 04:30 PM in Courtroom 14A, 500 Pearl Street, New York, NY 10007 before Judge John G. Koeltl. (Fletcher, Donnie) (Entered: 09/30/2019)
10/02/2019	<u>8</u>	AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE. United States Citizenship and Immigration Services served on 10/2/2019, answer due 10/23/2019; United States Department of State served on 10/2/2019, answer due 10/23/2019. Service was made by Mail. Document filed by International Refugee Assistance Project. (Meyer, Kathryn) (Entered: 10/02/2019)
10/21/2019	<u>9</u>	MOTION for Justin Bryan Cox to Appear Pro Hac Vice . Filing fee \$ 200.00, receipt number ANYSDC-17807982. <b>Motion and supporting papers to be reviewed by Clerk's Office staff.</b> Document filed by International Refugee Assistance Project.

		(Attachments: # <u>1</u> Affidavit, # <u>2</u> Text of Proposed Order, # <u>3</u> Exhibit, # <u>4</u> Exhibit, # <u>5</u> Exhibit)(Cox, Justin) (Entered: 10/21/2019)
--	--	---